

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “To designate the Federal building located at 2110 First Street in Fort Myers, Florida, as the ‘George W. Whitehurst Federal Building and United States Courthouse’.”

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**Amending the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to extend through 2023 the authority of the Federal Election Commission to impose civil money penalties on the basis of a schedule of penalties established and published by the Commission:** The House agreed to discharge from committee and pass H.R. 7120, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to extend through 2023 the authority of the Federal Election Commission to impose civil money penalties on the basis of a schedule of penalties established and published by the Commission.

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**Designating the outstation of the Department of Veterans Affairs in North Ogden, Utah, as the Major Brent Taylor Vet Center Outstation:** The House agreed to discharge from committee and pass H.R. 7163, to designate the outstation of the Department of Veterans Affairs in North Ogden, Utah, as the Major Brent Taylor Vet Center Outstation.

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**Presidential Message:** Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress that he had issued an Executive Order declaring a national emergency with respect to the threat posed by the situation in Nicaragua—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 115–173).

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H9653–54 and H9655. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

### BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS PROCESS REFORM

*Joint Select Committee on Budget and Appropriations Process Reform:* Committee continued a markup of the Committee’s report, recommendations, and legislative language, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, November 29, 2018.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2018

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Mindy Brashears, of Texas, to be Under Secretary for Food Safety, Naomi C. Earp, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary, and Scott Hutchins, of Indiana, to be Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics, all of the Department of Agriculture, 9:30 a.m., SR–328A.

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, to hold closed hearings to examine Cyber Command’s relationship with the National Security Agency, 2:30 p.m., SVC–217.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* to hold hearings to examine addressing America’s surface transportation infrastructure needs, 9:30 a.m., SD–406.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine the global fight to end modern slavery, 9:30 a.m., SD–419.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 3247, to improve programs and activities relating to women’s entrepreneurship and economic empowerment that are carried out by the United States Agency for International Development, S. 3654, to amend the United States International Broadcasting Act of 1994, to avoid the duplication of public diplomacy programs and efforts, to improve the research and evaluation of public diplomacy, S. Res. 562, expressing the sense of the Senate that the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT) continues to make an invaluable contribution to United States and international security, 50 years after it opened for signature on July 1, 1968, H.R. 1872, to promote access for United States diplomats and other officials, journalists, and other citizens to Tibetan areas of the People’s Republic of China, H.R. 4819, to promote inclusive economic growth through conservation and biodiversity programs that facilitate transboundary cooperation, improve natural resource management, and build local capacity to protect and preserve threatened wildlife species in the greater Okavango River Basin of southern Africa, H.R. 2646, to reauthorize the United States-Jordan Defense Cooperation Act of 2015, H.R. 4989, to require the Department of State to establish a policy regarding the use of location-tracking consumer devices by employees at diplomatic and consular facilities, and the nominations of Michael T. Harvey, of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, and Donald Armin Blome, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia, Craig Lewis Cloud, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Botswana, Judith Gail Garber, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cyprus, Jeffrey Ross Gunter, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Iceland, Dennis B. Hankins, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali, Dennis Walter Hearne, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mozambique, Simon Henshaw, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea, Earle D. Litzenberger,